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Trinity 6, Hamilton 2.

The 'Varsity was beaten by Trinity last Saturday at Hartford by a score of 6 to 2. The home team, after this season's succession of successes, hoped to smother Hamilton. Tho they were victorious it was not in the manner or measure that they had expected. The game was fast and spirited.

Donnelly started the game at three o'clock by kicking off to Smith on our 30-yard line. Hamilton got fifteen yards on a forward pass to White but had to kick. Pond made some unsuccessful attempts at quarterback runs which resulted in losses of from three to five yards. Trinity kicked and there followed an exchange of punts, Hamilton showing marked superiority in this line. With the ball on her own 10-yard line Trinity was forced to kick. The punt was blocked. Mason recovered the ball and Captain Schwartz threw him for a touchback. The ball was kicked out from the 25-yard line and remained in the center of the field until Holley got loose on a quarterback play and ran fifty yards for what seemed a touchdown, but Referee Newton called him back, claiming that he had gone out of bounds, a decision which was received with indignation by the impartial spectators who had seen the play. White punted, the ball rolling over Trinity's goal line. Pond punted out from the 25-yard line and Hamilton was held for downs. Trinity punted. Holley made a 20-yard run, White a substantial line buck, Smith five yards around end, and the half ended. Not once during this half was the ball in our territory.

SECOND HALF.

White kicked off to Dougherty. Then by consistent line bucks by Donnelly, Maxon and Mason the ball was carried down the field and over Hamilton's goal line for a touchdown. Pond kicked the goal.

The rest of the game consisted mostly of a punting battle. Welch ran a punt back thru a broken field for forty yards. Toward the end of the game Trinity had things her own way. Once she reached our 8-yard line, but there the fellows held them for downs. The game ended with the ball in our possession on our own 15-yard line.

The line-up:

Trinity 6.		Hamilton 2.
	Left End.	
Budd.		Leavenworth.
	Left Tackle.	
Marion.		Schwartz, Capt.
	Left Guard.	
Dougherty, Capt.		Swetman.
	Center.	
Carpenter.		Williams (Thomas).
	Right Guard.	
Buck.		Osborne.
	Right Tackle.	
Hubbard.		Wilson.
	Right End.	
Henshaw.		White.
	Quarterback.	
Pond.		Holley.
	Left Halfback.	
Mason.		Smith.
	Right Halfback.	
Maxon.		Welch (Spencer).
	Fullback.	
Donnelly.		McLean.

Referee, Mr. Newton, Pennsylvania. Umpire, Mr. Washburn, Amherst. Head linesman, Schwartz; linesmen, Cunningham and Barrows, '07; timekeeper, Davis, '02. Time of halves, twenty-five minutes.

—Dr. Stryker announces that he is very much pleased to see the cannon back on the Campus.

Colgate Today.

Previous scores:—

1892,	Colgate	8,	Hamilton	4.
1893,	"	6,	"	6.
1894,	No game.			
1895,	"			
1896,	"			
1897,	Colgate	12,	Hamilton	6.
1898,	"	0,	"	5.
	"	6,	"	6.
1899,	"	0,	"	30.
	"	0,	"	38.
1900,	"	0,	"	11.
1901,	"	0.	"	12.
1902,	"	11,	"	11.
1903,	"	16,	"	0.
1904,	"	66,	"	2.
1905,	"	17,	"	15.

Total—Colgate 136, Hamilton 148.

The officials for the game are: Mr. Evans, Williams, referee; Mr. Wright, Columbia, umpire, and Mr. Baxter, Hobart, head linesman. All three of these men are well known to us, and are recognized as competent officials.

Today Hamilton plays Colgate on Steuben Field. Every man in college recognizes the importance of this game and will be on the field to cheer the team on to its best efforts. The above scores of past games are interesting as a basis of comparison.

As to the outcome of today's game nothing can be predicted with certainty. A spectacular, interesting, hard-fought, well-won contest is expected. Altho sure to be greatly outweighed, Hamilton will have her best team in the game, eager to fight from start to finish. Before the Cornell game, Coach Halliday told the team they must fight, fight, fight, every second of every minute of every game. This they will do today. No goal line can

be considered safe till after the last whistle has been blown.

Comparative scores, which, however, are always unreliable, seem slightly to favor Colgate. Colgate played a 0–0 game with Cornell, whereas Hamilton, meeting Cornell a week later, was defeated 21–0. Hamilton also lost to Syracuse, whom Colgate defeated. But, on the other hand, Hamilton ran up a larger score against Rochester than Colgate did. But it must be remembered, in drawing deductions from these scores, that other heavy teams which have defeated us are not Colgate, and that the team always plays its hardest game against them.

From all that can be learned the heavy Colgate line charges slow, and the backs, altho fairly fast, adhere closely to the game successful under last year's rules. Hamilton's versatile and lightning attack has been commented on wherever the team has appeared. But to be successful a dry field is necessary for this style of play, and the weather therefore will be most important.

Colgate is sure to bring over a large cheering section. Every man in college should have a megaphone ready for business. This is the greatest athletic event of the year, and every man in college can help in some way to make it the greatest event for half a dozen years back. It can be done.

The line-up and weights of players follows:

Hamilton.		Colgate.
	Left End.	
Leavenworth 149.		Houseman 182.
	Left Tackle.	
Schwartz, Capt, 165.		Jones 168.
	Left Guard.	
Swetman 180½.		Huntly 221.
	Center.	
Williams 157.		Simmons 230.
	Right Guard.	
Osborne 156.		Linn 203.
	Right Tackle.	
Wilson 153.		Boardman 185.
	Right End.	
White 155.		Knapp, Capt, 161.
	Quarterback.	
Holley 145.		Stowell 164.
	Left Halfback.	
Smith 144.		Whelan 148.
	Right Halfback.	
Welch 146.		Cottrell 159.
	Fullback.	
McLean 149½.		Woodman 192.

Average weight of Hamilton eleven, 154 pounds per man; Colgate, 183 pounds per man.

COLGATE'S 1906 SCORES.

Colgate 0, Cornell 0.
" 18, Rochester 0.
" 29, Hobart 0.
" 0, West Point 0.
" 5, Syracuse 0.
" 6, Lafayette 17.
" 9, Williams 23.

The Musical Clubs.

Both clubs are progressing rapidly these days in spite of the inconvenient practice hours caused by the football men. Prof. Daniels put the Glee Club thru a hard practice Wednesday night, and altho it was his first appearance, straigtened out several kinks. A letter from the Union University Clubs promises co-operation on the proposed joint concert with them on the "Easter trip." The concert in New York City will probably be given under the management of alumni. As always when Hamilton is concerned their help is assured. The first time the college will have the opportunity to hear the clubs will be the 26th of this month in Utica. Tickets are on sale with Meeker, '07, and should be purchased early to insure good seats. They will also be on sale with Floyd King and Wicks & Greenman in Utica. It is rumored that several dinners will be given by various Utica social leaders for the clubs on that night.

Today's Games.

Colgate vs. Hamilton, at Clinton.
Harvard vs, Indians, at Cambridge.
Yale vs. Brown, at New Haven.
Princeton vs. Army, at West Point.
Navy vs. Swarthmore, at Annapolis.
Dartmouth vs. Amherst, at Hanover.
Williams vs. Wesleyan, at Williamstown.
Lehigh vs. New York University, at South Bethlehem.
Wisconsin vs. Illinois, at Urbana.
Chicago vs. Minnesota, at Chicago.

Football Songs.

Tune—*Cheyenne.*

Colgate, Colgate, beaten once more,
Hit them low, for you know
That means touchdowns and our score,
Tear them up and get them on the run
While we cheer for old Hamilton.

Tune—*Waltz me around again, Willie.*

Tear up their line again, fellows,
Touchdown, touchdown, touchdown.
The line-men are steady, the backs all are ready,
O, don't let that ball hit the ground.
Knock them and block them, imagine it's fun,
We'll stand up and shout, Rah! Rah! Rah! Hamilton.
Try a dive 'round their ends again, fellows,
For just—one more—touchdown.

Tune—*The Pope.*

The Buff and Blue are on the field, on the field,
And Colgate's line is forced to yield, to yield,
Now there's the snap, the pass, the ru-un-un,
And the victory just begun.

Calendar.

Saturday, 3 p. m.—Colgate vs. Hamilton on Steuben Field.

Sunday, 10:30 a. m.—Dr. Stryker will preach in the college Chapel.

Sunday, 11:30 a. m.—After services the Freshman Bible class, leader, Dr. Wood.

Sunday, 4:30 p. m.—Y. M. C. A. services.

Monday, 4 p. m.—Glee Club practice.

Monday, 7 p. m.—Instrumental Club practice.

Wednesday, 3 p. m.—Basket-ball practice, Sophomore-Freshman Football game, Glee Club practice.

Wednesday, 7 p. m.—Sophomore prayer meeting.

Thursday, 7 p. m.—Freshman prayer meeting, topic, "Prayer as a Means of Accomplishment," leader, Lloyd.

Friday, 4 p. m.—Glee Club practice.

Friday 7 p. m.—Instrumental Club practice.

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WHETHER THE TEAM WINS or loses today we ought to have a football smoker in the Commons next Saturday night. A larger, harder working squad has never been turned out on Steuben Field. Some recognition of their efforts should be made by the college body. What better way than by a smoker given in their honor? The faculty and alumni would attend. Some of them would no doubt lend more than their presence. There would be more real enthusiasm aroused and the team would know that their efforts have been appreciated. These occasions have been successful for the last three years. They get the college body and faculty together in an informal way and help to arouse and keep warm that admirable Hamilton spirit of which we are proud.

THERE IS SOME AGITATION on the Hill for the organization of a dramatic club. Other small colleges have them, should not we? This is a natural question and one that some believe ought to answered affirmatively. Yet we believe that after looking the ground all over the more sensible answer would be negative. How many fellows are there in college who would be fitted for such a club and who are not now engaged in several other departments of college activity? We see very few. Dramatic work, if successful, takes more time and practice than any athletic or musical branch. It requires professional skill and untiring effort on the part of the amateur. If we had 300 men here a dramatic club would be possible. We could support it and make it a succsss without overworking anyone or crowding things beyond the capacity of the student body. As conditions are we might better work a little harder in our present organizations and let the dramatic idea rest until we have more material to draw from.

THE COACH AND CAPTAIN were highly displeased with the treatment which the team received from the Trinity officials. Tho there were frequent and palpable violations of the rules thruout the whole game neither side was penalized once. In the first half Holley got away for a long run and made what everyone supposed was a touchdown. The referee, who was in the middle of the field at the time, called it no score, claiming that the ball was carried out of bounds. Impartial spectators, standing on the sidelines, and also the umpire, testified that Holley did not run out of bounds. This very doubtful decision lost the game for Hamilton. This, however, is not our main grievance. True, it lost the game for us, yet we are sportsmen enough to submit to our officials' decision even if it be somewhat doubtful. But when the most fundamental rules of the game are violated and no penalty is attached we believe that some sort of a protest should be made. One of the most important things done by the new rules committee was to emphasize thoroly the necessity of strict enforcement of existing rules. The principal trouble with the old game was that the rules were not enforced with sufficient stringency. Officials were wont to let violations go unpenalized. This resulted in divers abuses, and was one of the causes for the chaotic state of the game as played last fall. The committee put special emphasis on strict enforcement of the rules. In general they have been enforced this year, and if the game is to last they must continue to be enforced with increasing strictness. The Trinity officials failed to penalize violations of the rules and hence defeated the cause of clean football.

AT THE CLOSE of the football season it is pertinent to think of a coach for next year. Everyone who has had any dealings with Mr. Halliday knows him for a fine man and a good coach. He has had a hard proposition this year to develop a team from a squad of raw players, and he has succeeded. It is the earnest wish of the college that he return next year if possible. We believe that with the start made on the squad this year he would be able to turn out a phenomenally fast team another season. We would all like to see him back.

TODAY IS THE DAY of days in our football season. We meet Colgate for the last game of the year and every man who has seen a Colgate game knows what that means. A Hamilton team plays in the Colgate game as in no other on the schedule. There's something in the Hamilton spirit which makes her team fight to the last against Colgate. This year we have a light team, but we have a good lot of "subs" and we have the spirit. The college should support the team as it has never been supported before and make the men think they *must* win. Then we'll see such a contest as we saw last year, but we trust with a slightly different outcome. Now get together fellows—a long yell, and keep it up.

Sophomore-Freshman Game.

The annual football game between the Sophomores and Freshmen will be played next Wednesday. The contest promises to be of unusual interest on account of the equality of the teams. The Sophomores have the advantage in the number of experienced men but the Freshmen have good weight and

speed. Moore, captain of the Freshman team, had several men out for practice Wednesday. The Sophomores have an equal number of men to pick from, including six men who have played on the 'Varsity at some time this year.

The probable line-up is as follows:

Sophomores.		Freshmen.
	Left End.	
McLean.		Leavenworth.
	Left Tackle.	
Busfield.		Mix.
	Left Guard.	
Plumb.		Hastings.
	Center.	
H. P. Osborne.		Wheeler.
	Right Guard.	
Wilson.		Stube.
	Right Tackle.	
C. Leavenworth.		Sarles.
	Quarterback.	
Getman.		Bristol.
	Left Halfback.	
Spencer.		Moore, Capt.
	Right Halfback,	
Welch.		Harper.
	Fullback.	
Fiske.		Glover.

D. K. E. Informal.

Tau of Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity gave an informal reception at the chapter house after the Rochester game. Among those present were the Misses Henderson, E. Searles, L. Searles, and Grosvenor, of Herkimer; the Misses Jones, Russell and Osborn, of Utica; Miss Jones, New Hartford; Miss Angell, Oneida; Miss Morgan, Auburn; Miss Moore and the Misses Williams, of Clinton; "Nelse" Drummond, '02, "Bob" Hayes, '05, and Messrs. King, Voss, Stringer, Howland, Smith and Sanford, of Colgate. Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. Watrous, of Clinton, acted as patronesses.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Doctor Davenport spoke at the Y. M. C. A. Meeting Sunday. His powerful personality, great vigor and earnestness always exert a strong influence over his audience and the announcement that he would speak called out a large attendance. His remarks were based on the sixteenth verse of the first chapter of Romans, "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ." The gist of the talk was:

That Paul, the greatest personality of his time, should make such a remark may seem queer, but at that time it was very natural for a man to feel shame for zeal in this new and strange religion. Today, however, it is different. We think that a man who does not recognize the spiritual superiority of Christ does not recognize the best and finest thing in our life. Whatever the theology and theologist of today may say, this is true, that the carnal heart is at enmity with God. The religion of Jesus Christ is not easy, that is, ease is not the essential. And no man has such power to battle against this evil force as the man who is awake to the fact that he is living here to prepare for life hereafter.

The whole thing, said Dr. Davenport in closing, is summed up in the hymn:—

Ashamed of Jesus! that dear friend,
On whom my hopes of heaven depend!
No; when I blush be this my shame,
That I no more revere His name.

Freshman Class Officers.

The Freshmen elected class officers at a meeting held in the Chapel on Thursday: President, Sherwin; vice-president, Moore; secretary, Knox; treasurer, Leavenworth. A committee was appointed to select class colors.

Football Schedule.

Sept. 29—Cazenovia 0. Hamilton 0.
Oct. 3—Cornell 21. Hamilton 0.
" 6—St. Lawrence 0. Hamilton 0.
" 13—Syracuse 36. Hamilton 0.
" 20—R. P. I. 2. Hamilton 0.
" 27—Rochester 0. Hamilton 21.
Nov. 3—Trinity 6. Hamilton 2.
" 10—Colgate at Clinton.

—The fare at Commons has dropped back to even a worse state than of yore. By actual count twenty-six men couldn't eat a so-called pudding Monday night. Only Mahady's absence prevented a strenuous kick by the committee. What it will be now that Hughes is elected we don't venture to guess.

Among the Colleges.

At Union, a six years' general Engineering course, combining the present general Engineering and the Latin-Scientific courses, is to be offered in a proposed new curriculum.

Hereafter, the Colgate *Madisonensis* will be published bi-weekly instead of weekly.

Brown University has erected a bronze statue to Augustus Cæsar.

The University of Minnesota is agitating the establishment of the honor system.

The sum of $30,000, to be used for endowment of five scholarships in the College of Agriculture, has been given to Cornell University.

New York, Ontario & Western R. R.

Trains arrive at Clinton from Utica, 8:55 a. m., 2:40 p. m., 5:24 p. m., 11:50 p. m. From Rome, 8:43 a. m., 5:10 p. m. From South, 7:50 a. m., 11:20 a. m. 2:40 p. m., 6:05 p. m.

Trains leave Clinton for Utica, 7:50 a. m., 11:20 a. m., 2:40 p. m., 6:05 p. m. For Rome, 11:30 a. m. 6:08 p. m. For South, 8:30 a. m., 12:40 p. m., 5:24 p. m., 11:50 p. m.

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College Notes.

—About thirty of the men in college voted Tuesday.

—The Rev. M. D. Kneeland, '69, was on the Hill this week.

—A clock would be a useful addition to the interior of Commons.

—The posters for the Colgate game do the management much credit.

—The 'Varsity and scrub football teams faced Gibbon's camera Thursday.

—Elihu Root stayed on the Hill the day following his great speech at Utica.

—The underclassmen have raked up leaves of every hue for the bonfire celebration tonight.

—There is room for a great improvement in the cataloging of the magazines at the library.

—The Psi Chapter of Psi Upsilon will give an informal dance next Monday at the chapter house.

—In a recent Buffalo paper we noticed a high compliment to Prof. Root and his ability as a mathematician.

—A rule has been made this year that no 'Varsity basket-ball man shall be allowed to play in the class championship series.

—Sophomore class meeting was held Monday forenoon, in which it was voted to guarantee the Sophomore Hop committee $200.

—The standing in the Freshman competition for LIFE is as follows: Glover, Titus, McMath, Cross, Engs, Lloyd, Brasted, Harper.

—During the past week the leaves on the campus have been raked up. Altho it is not entirely finished the campus looks much better.

—The few Hamilton men who were in Utica Tuesday night eagerly watched the returns announcing the re-election of Congressman Sherman, '78.

—Among the aspirants to the basket-ball assistant managership are Mac Garry, Sabine and Wallace. Others are expected to be in the field soon.

—The following alumni have been on the Hill during the past week: Barrows and Bennett, '06, Benedict, '69, Drummond, '02, DeRegt, '00, Ferry, '05.

—The pictures which were taken of the Junior, Sophomore and Freshmen classes some time ago, are finished. They can be procured at the regular price.

—An eastern basket-ball trip has been arranged for the last of February. It will take in Williams, Wesleyan, Brown and Union. Also a trip for the last of January, consisting of Syracuse and Rochester.

—The leader of the Mandolin Club wishes to announce that the men who have not "pipped" the selections by next Wednesday are in danger of being excluded from the Utica trip. Those who do not go to Utica will not be taken on any of the other trips.

—The grandstand has been reserved entire for the Colgate men and the north section of the bleechers for Hamilton men, the section next to this for Hamilton supporters and their friends, and the remaining two sections for the general public. Hamilton men will be admitted to their section with just the entrance ticket.

—The football teams have played several hard, spirited games this week. The one Wednesday afternoon was of especial note, the men entering into the struggle with the eagerness of a decisive contest. The 'Varsity showed itself to be in fine shape by withstanding the scrub's pounding, altho the back-field of the latter was reinforced by two extra halves. The game was well fought and augurs well for Saturday.

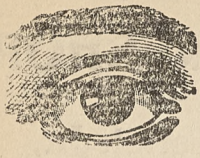
—The editors of the *Hamiltonian* are already hard at work. The literary department is well under way and all material is expected to be secured this term. The advertising editors are meeting with their usual success, having much difficulty in securing new advertisers; the old ones, as a rule, renew. It is hoped by the Board to put the publication on a more sound financial basis than formerly. The class has voted to stand back of the Board to the extent of $5 per man.

Day, New Champion.

In the semi-finals of the fall tennis tournament, Simmons, '08, defeated Truax, '09, 4-1 default. In the finals, on account of a difference of opinion in the matter, only two sets out of three were played. Edward Day, '07, defeated William B. Simmons, '08, 6-0, 6-4. A bitter cold gale sweeping directly across the court made the day as unpropitious for good play as could be possible. That Day won on his merits cannot be contested, however, as he was clearly the master at all stages of the match.

Hamilton Spirit.

The defeat was not due to superior material on the Hamilton eleven, for man for man the wearers of the yellow feel that they were equal, if not superior to their opponents. It was the spirit of the whole college which thrilled the Hamilton team and made it seem wellnigh hopeless for Rochester to oppose them. It is that spirit which has made Hamilton what it is today, and until a similar spirit pervades Rochester the Yellow cannot hope successfully to compete against its rivals at Clinton.—*Rochester Campus.*



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